

DECLARATION AND PETITION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **AUTOMATIC MACHINE FOR DISPENSING PHOTOGRAPHIC ITEMS AND THE LIKE** the specification of which was filed on 05.July.2000 as Application Serial No. PCT/IT00/00278 and was amended on _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application of which priority is claimed.

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

Number	Country	Filing Date	Priority Claimed?
VR99A000057	Italy	8.July.1999	Yes

I hereby declare: All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Wherefore I pray that Letters Patent be granted to me for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the foregoing specification and claims, and I hereby subscribe my name to the foregoing specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney, and this petition.

Full name of sole or first inventor: Ivano Zorzan

Inventor's signature _____ Date _____

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PATENT

Matter No.: 17642-57

Applicant: Ivano ZORZAN

Title: AUTOMATIC MACHINE FOR
DISPENSING PHOTOGRAPHIC ITEMS AND
THE LIKE

Serial No.:

Filed:

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

NORTECH ITALIA SRL, having become the owner of all rights to this application by virtue of an Assignment executed by the inventor concurrently with the execution of the application, the Assignment being submitted with this power of attorney for recording, appoints:

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Canter, B., Reg. 34,792	Harris, M.D., Reg. 26,690	Kudla, J.P., Reg. P47,724	Rosenberg, C., Reg. 31,464
Chen, A., Reg. P48,508	Hayden, R.D., Reg. 42,645	Larson, D.N., Reg. 29,401	Sherry, L., Reg. 43,918
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their attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact in connection with the application all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and before competent International Authorities including the World Intellectual Property Organization.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above. I am empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

I declare that all statements made in this document of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. I make these statements with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing from the application.

NORTECH ITALIA SRL
Assignee

Date: _____, 2002

By _____
Name:

Title:

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Ivano ZORZAN, the undersigned inventors and the ASSIGNORS herein, have invented an AUTOMATIC MACHINE FOR DISPENSING PHOTOGRAPHIC ITEMS AND THE LIKE, for which we are about to file application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application has been executed by me concurrently herewith and of which inventions and improvements I am the sole owner; and

WHEREAS, NORTECH ITALIA SRL, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Italy, having a place of business at Via Cefalonia, 20, I-37063 Isola Della Scala, Italy, the ASSIGNEE herein, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, applications and Letters Patent to be granted and issued thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) by the ASSIGNEE to me paid, and other valuable consideration, the receipt and legal sufficiency of all of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and all improvements thereon, in and to said application for Letters Patent thereon, in and to applications pertaining to or based upon said inventions and applications, including divisional and continuing applications and continuations-in-part, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted and issued on said inventions and applications, or any of them, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all countries foreign thereto, together with and including all priority rights based upon any and all applications in the United States of America covered by this Assignment.

And for the above-named considerations, I do hereby agree that I will, at the request of said ASSIGNEE, execute any and all applications for Letters Patent for said inventions and any and all other papers and documents and do all other and further lawful acts that said ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable to obtain Letters Patent on said inventions, to secure the grant of such Letters Patent and to perfect and vest in the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in the inventions, applications and Letters Patent.

And for the above-named considerations, I do hereby authorize and empower the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to apply for and obtain, in its or their own names, Letters Patent for the said inventions before competent International Authorities and in any and all countries foreign to the United States in which applications for Letters Patent can be so made or Letters Patent so obtained.

Dated: _____, 2002

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